



**RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE; EXAMINING GROUP 1652**

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:
David H. Price

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AND SCREENING ASSAYS**

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**AMENDMENT; AND RESPONSE TO SIXTH
AND FINAL OFFICE ACTION DATED SEPTEMBER 09, 2003**

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Sir:

The Examiner is respectfully requested to enter the following amendments, which are proper under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116. A response to the sixth and Final Official Action ("the sixth Action") dated September 09, 2003 is also timely submitted and the Examiner is respectfully requested to consider the response. The response confirms allowance of all claims, and re-examination, reconsideration and allowance are therefore respectfully requested.



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Sir:

Enclosed for filing in the above-referenced patent application are:

1. An Amendment; and Response to Final Office Action dated September 09, 2003. with Applicant's Telephone Interview Summaries;
2. A Request for Extension of Time of one month to and including January 09, 2004;
3. A check in the amount of \$55.00 as fee for the one month extension of time; and
4. A postcard listing the above materials; please date stamp and return this postcard evidencing receipt of these materials.

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